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SUBJECT : DISCUSSION OF INDIAN OCEAN WORKING GROUP

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1. AMBASSADOR BRIEFED FOREIGN MINISTER ALONG LINES PARAS
5 - 8 OF REFTEL JULY 7. FONMIN APPRECIATED BEING KEPT IN-
FORMED AND SAID HE BELIEVES GOAL WE ARE PURSUING IN OUR
TALKS WITH SOVIETS IS WORTHY ONE, THOUGH HE DOUBTS SOVIETS
HAVE REAL INTEREST IN REACHING AGREEMENT SINCE SUCH
AGREEMENT PESUMABLY WOULD LIMIT THEIR ABILITY TO INTERFERE
IN REGION AS THEY ARE NOW DOING IN EAST AFRICA.

2. NEVERTHELESS, FONMIN SAID U.S. INITIATIVE IN THIS, AS IN
OTHER POLICY AREAS, IS FURTHER EVIDENCE THAT UNITED STATES
IS ONCE AGAIN TAKING DIPLOMATIC OFFENSIVE. FONMIN EXPLAINED
AT SOME LENGTH HIS VIEW THAT FOR TOO MANY YEARS U.S. REACTED
TOO DEFENSIVELY TO SOVIET AND OTHER COMMUNIST PRESSURES.
HE SAID HE IS PLEASED TO SEE NEW U.S. ADMINISTRATION
BUILDING POSITION OF STRENGTH FROM WHICH TO GIVE STRONG
LEADERSHIP TO FREE WORLD. FONMIN SAID INDIAN OCEAN
INITIATIVE, HUMAN RIGHTS "OFFENSIVE", PRESIDENT CARTER'S
ATTEMPTS TO DEVELOP TRULY "JUST" MIDDLE EAST POLICY ALL
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